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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed on July 17, 2008, Applicant submits the enclosed amendments and remarks for consideration. A Request for Continued Examination is also filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 17 of this paper.